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Attorney Docket No. 12654/33

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Alan R. Bauer et al.)	Examiner: Natalie Pass
)	
Serial Number:)	
10/764,076)	Group Art Unit: 705/004
)	
Title:)	
Monitoring system for)	
determining and communicating)	
a cost of insurance)	

**REQUEST FOR REFUND DUE TO CANCELLATION OF CLAIMS
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.117**

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Dear Sir:

A Preliminary Amendment has been filed cancelling one or more claims before an examination on the merits of this application has been made.

A refund is hereby requested of any fees under 37 C.F.R § 1.16 (h), (i) or (j) or under § 1.492(d), (e), or (f) paid on or after October 1, 2003 for such cancelled claims.

A refund has been calculated as follows:

Application no. 10/746,076
Request for Refund dated October 30, 2007

					Small Entity			Not a Small Entity	
	Highest No. Previously Paid For		Claims Remaining After Amendment	Canceled Claims	Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total	95	Minus	42	53	x \$9=			x \$18=	954
Indep.	9	Minus	7	2	x 43=			x \$86=	172
Multiple Dep. Claim				0	+\$180=			+\$360=	0
					Total	\$		Total	\$1126

One or more claims have been cancelled so that the application will comply with November 1, 2007 claim limits. Upon entry of this Preliminary Amendment, the application will include no more than seven independent claims and forty two total claims.

As evidence of the fee paid for the now-cancelled claim(s) a copy of the Patent Application Fee Determination Record is submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD

Substitute for Form PTO-875

Application or Docket Number

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APPLICATION AS FILED - PART I

(Column 1)		(Column 2)	SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE (\$)	FEE (\$)		RATE (\$)	FEE (\$)
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(e), (b), or (c))							
SEARCH FEE (37 CFR 1.16(k), (l), or (m))							
EXAMINATION FEE (37 CFR 1.16(o), (p), or (q))							
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(j))		minus 20 = *	X	=	OR	X	=
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(h))		minus 3 = *	X	=		X	=
APPLICATION SIZE FEE (37 CFR 1.16(s))	If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).						
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(j))							
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APPLICATION AS AMENDED - PART II

(Column 1)		(Column 2)	(Column 3)	SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE (\$)	ADDITIONAL FEE (\$)		RATE (\$)	ADDITIONAL FEE (\$)
Total (37 CFR 1.16(d))	95	85	10	X 25 =		OR	X 50 =	500.00
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(h))	9	8	1	X 100 =		OR	X 200 =	200.00
Application Size Fee (37 CFR 1.16(s))						OR		
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(j))						OR		
				TOTAL ADD'L FEE		OR	TOTAL ADD'L FEE	700.00

(Column 1)		(Column 2)	(Column 3)	SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE (\$)	ADDITIONAL FEE (\$)		RATE (\$)	ADDITIONAL FEE (\$)
Total (37 CFR 1.16(d))				X	=	OR	X	=
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(h))				X	=	OR	X	=
Application Size Fee (37 CFR 1.16(s))						OR		
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(j))						OR		
				TOTAL ADD'L FEE		OR	TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

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Effective October 1, 2003

Application or Docket Number

16 764 076

CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)
TOTAL CLAIMS	85	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	85 minus 20 =	* 65
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	8 minus 3 =	* 5
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT <input type="checkbox"/>		

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	*	Minus	**
Independent	*	Minus	***
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	*	Minus	**
Independent	*	Minus	***
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	*	Minus	**
Independent	*	Minus	***
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

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SMALL ENTITY TYPE ☐

OR

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	385.00
XS 9=	
X43=	
+145=	
TOTAL	

OR

RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	770.00
XS18=	1170
X86=	430
+290=	
TOTAL	2370

SMALL ENTITY ☐

OR

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
XS 9=	
X43=	
+145=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

OR

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
XS18=	
X86=	
+290=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
XS 9=	
X43=	
+145=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

OR

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
XS18=	
X86=	
+290=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
XS 9=	
X43=	
+145=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

OR

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
XS18=	
X86=	
+290=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

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FEE RECORD SHEET

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01 FC:1001	770.00 OP
02 FC:1202	1170.00 OP
03 FC:1201	430.00 OP

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